



# New York State Society of Radiologic Sciences, Inc.

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Dear Program Director,

The NYSSRS realizes the valuable resource our newest medical imaging and radiologic science professionals are to our profession. In an effort to encourage and recognize the contributions of our students, the NYSSRS sponsors an annual Student Essay Contest, Poster Contest and the Student Quiz Bowl Competition. Student members of the NYSSRS are eligible to win recognition for scholarly contributions to the profession. Winners will be recognized at the NYSSRS Annual Conference.

## Essay Contest

The NYSSRS Education & Scholarship Committee has set a deadline for the Student Essay Contest in order to be able to announce the winners in a timeframe that will allow them to attend the conference in the fall. This competition is designed for radiologic science students in the graduating class of 2017 and 2018. **An application, original essay along with 3 “blind” copies must be submitted to the committee by June 9, 2017.** “Blind” copies of qualifying essays will be forwarded to three judges around the state for evaluation. The committee will collect and tabulate the evaluations to determine the winners. Winners will receive certificates of achievement and monetary awards.

## Poster Exhibit Contest

The theme for this year’s poster competition is “Special Views for Orthopedic Imaging”. **Poster applicants must submit their poster application and poster to Lisa Silver or Katherine Gress by October 27. All posters will be set up 8 am on Friday, October 27.** Posters will be on display during the NYSSRS conference October 26-28, 2017. The winner will be announced after the student bowl competition. Each poster exhibit must highlight at least one unique orthopedic position and hold the interest of the viewer. The title and headings should be neat and large enough to read at a **distance of 3 feet**. Creativity is encouraged. Winners will receive certificates of achievement and monetary awards. The technical specifications for submission will be detailed on the NYSSRS.org website shortly.

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Research/Literature review information only poster may be submitted.

Criteria for this type of poster: Must be able to be displayed for attendees to read at a distance of 3 feet.

### Quiz Bowl Competition

The Student Quiz Bowl Competition will take place at the conclusion NYSSRS Annual Conference. Teams must pre-register by October 6, 2017.

### All contests and competitions

- Participants of any contest or competition must be members of the NYSSRS and provide proof of membership upon request. Students may register for membership online at [www.nyssrs.org](http://www.nyssrs.org). Membership is based on a calendar year, ending on December 31<sup>st</sup>
- **There are no longer any fees for student contests or competitions as this is a benefit of membership. Applications and forms must still be filled out.**
- Applications, contest rules and evaluation forms can be found online at [www.nyssrs.org](http://www.nyssrs.org).
- Applications and forms should be sent to:

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